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TITLE:

SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR EFFICIENT INPUT/OUTPUT OF A

COMPUTER SYSTEM

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2154

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EXAMINER:

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AMENDMENT A UNDER 35 U.S.C.

SIR:

Responsive to the Official Action mailed 9/20/2005:

Please amend the above-referenced application as follows: